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FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2021

FOURTH EXTRAORDINARY DAY

CALL TO ORDER

The Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and was called to order by Mr. Speaker McNally.

PRAYER

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Senator Southerland.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Senator Southerland led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG OF TENNESSEE

Senator Southerland led the Senate in the Salute to the Flag of Tennessee.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present 29

Senators present were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Campbell, Crowe, Gardenhire, Gilmore, Haile, Hensley, Johnson, Kelsey, Lundberg, Niceley, Pody, Powers, Reeves, Roberts, Robinson, Rose, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Walley, Watson, White, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--29.

COMMUNICATION

January 22, 2021

Lt. Governor McNally
Suite 700, Cordell Hull Building
Nashville, TN 37243

Dear Lt. Governor,

I will be unable to make our Senate Session Friday, January 22, 2021. I would request that my absence be excused. Thank you for your attention to this request.

Respectfully,

/s/ Sen. Becky Massey
6th District

APPROVED: Lieutenant Governor
Randy McNally

MOTION

Senator Johnson moved, pursuant to Rule 33 and Article II, Section 18 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, that **Senate Bills Nos. 24 through 25** be passed on second consideration and be referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The Speaker announced the following bills passed second consideration and were referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk:

Senate Bill No. 24 referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 25 referred to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

MOTION

Senator Johnson moved, pursuant to Rule 21, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 4** lie over and be referred to the appropriate committee or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

RESOLUTIONS LYING OVER

The Speaker announced the following resolution passed second consideration and was referred to the appropriate committee or held on the desk, pursuant to Rule 21:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Ligon & Bobo Funeral Home, 100th anniversary.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 to the Committee on Calendar.

MOTION

Senator Johnson moved that Rules 32, 33 and 37 be suspended for the introduction and immediate consideration of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 6**, out of order, which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 by Senator Johnson.
General Assembly, Adjournment -- Adjourns sine die First Extraordinary Session of 112th General Assembly on January 22, 2021.

On motion of Senator Johnson, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 6** was adopted.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION

Senator Bowling moved that Rule 37 be suspended for the immediate consideration of **House Joint Resolution No. 4**, out of order, which motion prevailed.

RESOLUTION LYING OVER

House Joint Resolution No. 4 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Former President Donald J. Trump and former Vice President Mike Pence.

On motion of Senator Bowling, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

House Joint Resolution No. 4 was concurred in by the following vote:

Ayes	23
Noes	4
Present, not voting . . .	2

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Crowe, Haile, Hensley, Johnson, Kelsey, Lundberg, Niceley, Pody, Powers, Reeves, Roberts, Rose, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Walley, Watson, White, Yager and Mr. Speaker McNally--23.

Senators voting no were: Campbell, Gilmore, Robinson and Yarbrow.

Senators present and not voting were: Briggs and Gardenhire.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION

Senator Bowling moved that Rule 37 be suspended for the immediate consideration of **House Joint Resolution No. 5**, out of order, which motion prevailed.

RESOLUTION LYING OVER

House Joint Resolution No. 5 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Tennessee Farm Bureau Federation, 100th anniversary.

On motion of Senator Bowling, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion, **House Joint Resolution No. 5** was concurred in by the following vote:

Ayes	29
Noes	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Campbell, Crowe, Gardenhire, Gilmore, Haile, Hensley, Johnson, Kelsey, Lundberg, Niceley, Pody, Powers, Reeves, Roberts, Robinson, Rose, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Walley, Watson, White, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally--29.

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A motion to reconsider was tabled.

NOTICE

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

January 22, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 9; substituted for House Bill on same subject, amended, and passed by the House.

TAMMY LETZLER
Chief Clerk

Senator Johnson moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 2

AMEND by deleting in Section 2 the language "Senate Bill ___ / House Bill ___" and substituting instead the language "Senate Bill 2 / House Bill 4".

On motion, Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

Ayes 24
Noes 4

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Briggs, Crowe, Gardenhire, Gilmore, Haile, Hensley, Johnson, Lundberg, Niceley, Pody, Powers, Reeves, Roberts, Rose, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Walley, Watson, White, Yager and Mr. Speaker McNally--24.

Senators voting no were: Bowling, Campbell, Robinson and Yarbrow--4.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION TO APPROVE THE JOURNAL

Senator Johnson moved that the Senate Journal of the proceedings from the First Extraordinary Day through the Fourth Extraordinary Day of the First Extraordinary Session of the One Hundred Twelfth General Assembly be approved.

Senator Yarbrow seconded the motion.

The motion to approve the Journal prevailed.

ENGROSSED BILLS

January 22, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully examined: Senate Joint Resolution No. 6; and find same correctly engrossed and ready for transmission to the House.

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ALAN WHITTINGTON
Deputy Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

January 22, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 2 and 6; concurred in by the House.

TAMMY LETZLER
Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS

January 22, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared Senate Bills Nos. 1, 3 and 9; Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 2 and 6; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

ALAN WHITTINGTON
Deputy Chief Clerk

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Johnson moved pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution No. 6**, the First Extraordinary Session of the One Hundred Twelfth General Assembly stand adjourned sine die, which motion prevailed.

Thereupon, in accordance with **Senate Joint Resolution No. 6**, Mr. Speaker McNally declared the Senate of the First Regular Session of the One Hundred Twelfth General Assembly adjourned sine die.

Randy McNally
Speaker of the Senate

Attest: Russell A. Humphrey
Chief Clerk of the Senate

All bills and joint resolutions presented to the Governor subsequent to January 18, 2021, for his actions, being within ten days of the adjournment of the First Extraordinary Session of the One Hundred Twelfth General Assembly, prevents the return of said resolutions to the Senate within the ten day period, and accordingly, the final action taken by the Governor will be filed by him in the Secretary of State's Office, all in compliance with Article III, Section 18, relating to the Governor's Veto Power of the Constitution of Tennessee.

**RESOLUTIONS ENROLLED, SIGNED AND
TRANSMITTED TO GOVERNOR, SUBSEQUENT TO ADJOURNMENT**

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

January 25, 2021

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the Senate, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 2, 4 and 5; for the signature of the Speaker.

TAMMY LETZLER
Chief Clerk

SIGNED

January 25, 2021

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 2 and 6.

SIGNED

January 25, 2021

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 2, 4 and 5.

SIGNED

January 26, 2021

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Bills Nos. 1, 3 and 9.

SIGNED

January 26, 2021

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Bill No. 4.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

January 25, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 2 and 6; signed by the Speaker.

TAMMY LETZLER
Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

January 26, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Bills Nos. 1, 3 and 9; signed by the Speaker.

TAMMY LETZLER
Chief Clerk

REPORT OF DEPUTY CHIEF CLERK

January 27, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: Senate Bills Nos. 1, 3 and 9; Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1 and 2; for his action.

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ALAN WHITTINGTON
Deputy Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

February 2, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1 and 2; with his approval.

LANG WISEMAN,
Deputy & Counsel to the Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

February 3, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: Senate Bills Nos. 1, 3 and 9; with his approval.

LANG WISEMAN,
Deputy & Counsel to the Governor